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<p style="text-align: center;">AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO ACCOMPANY REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450</p>	Attorney Docket No.	10001492-2
	Confirmation No.	1042
	First Named Inventor	SAMPSON, JEFFREY R.
	Application Number	10/052,926
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	Group Art Unit	1637
	Examiner Name	MUMMERT, STEPHANIE KANE
	Title:	"SYNTHESIS AND AMPLIFICATION OF UNSTRUCTURED NUCLEIC ACIDS FOR RAPID SEQUENCING"

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated March 11, 2008. A petition for a **one-month** extension of time is submitted herewith, making this response due by July 11, 2008. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. This response is filed in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination.